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SUBJECT: VISIT BY OFFICIAL OF SUPERINTENDENCY OF PRICES

REF: STATE 177186

1. PAREDES' TRAVEL PLANS HAVE BEEN DELAYED AND ARE STILL NOT FIRM. PAREDES CANNOT LEAVE QUITO UNTIL SUPERINTENDENT OF PRICES SALAZAR RETURNS FROM TRIP TO EUROPE. SALAZAR WAS DUE IN QUITO SEPT. 17 BUT HAS NOT ARRIVED NOR INFORMED SUPERINTENDENCY OF ETA. IN SALAZAR'S ABSENCE, PAREDES BEARS PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE SENSITIVE POLITICAL ISSUE OF RAISING GOE-CONTROLLED PRICES OF FLOUR AND BREAD, A DECISION MADE NECESSARY BY HIGH PRICE OF WHEAT.

2. PAREDES INSISTED TO EMBOFF SEPT. 18 AND AGAIN SEPT. 21 THAT HE WILL TRAVEL WITHIN DAYS OF SALAZAR'S ARRIVAL. HOWEVER, HIS ARRIVAL IN WASHINGTON DURING WEEK OF SEPT. 24 NOW APPEARS DOUBTFUL. APPOINTMENTS AT CLC, IRS, AND PROBABLY AGRICULTURE WILL HAVE TO BE RESCHEDULED. WILL KEEP YOU ADVISED.
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